

<b>HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD</b>			
<b>Report Title</b>	Joint Strategic Needs Assessment Update		
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<b>Strategic Context</b>			

## 1. Purpose

- 1.1 To request approval for four completed Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA) Topic Assessments as part of the agreed process at the [July 2017 Health and Wellbeing Board](#) and to highlight the publication of the '[Picture of Lewisham](#)', a macro-level summary JSNA.
- 1.2 The four completed JSNA Topic Assessments are:
- Repeated Removals of Children into Social Care
  - Young People in Contact with the Criminal Justice System
  - Air Quality (Refresh)
  - Maternal Mental Health

## 2. Recommendation/s

Members of the Health and Wellbeing Board are recommended to:

- 2.1 Approve the completed JSNAs and comment on the Picture of Lewisham.

## 3. Policy Context

- 3.1 The production of a JSNA became a statutory duty on PCTs and upper tier local authorities in 2007. The Health and Social Care Act 2012 placed a new statutory obligation on Clinical Commissioning Groups, the Local Authority and NHS England to jointly produce and to commission with regard to the JSNA. The Act placed an additional duty on the Local Authority and CCGs to develop a joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy for meeting the needs identified in the local JSNA.
- 3.2 The objective of a JSNA is to provide access to a profile of Lewisham's population, including demographic, social and environmental information. It also provides access to in-depth needs assessments which address specific gaps in knowledge or identify issues associated with particular populations/services. These in-depth assessments vary in scope from a focus on a condition, geographical area, or a segment of the population, to a combination of these. The overall aim of each

needs assessment is to translate robust qualitative and quantitative data analysis into key messages for commissioners, service providers and partners.

3.3 The most recent version of the JSNA can be found here: [www.lewishamsna.org.uk](http://www.lewishamsna.org.uk).

3.4 The priorities of The Health and Wellbeing Strategy 2013-2023 were informed by the JSNA.

## **4. Background**

4.1 To undertake its responsibilities the Board needs to be periodically updated on the local population and its health needs. Individual JSNA topics provide in-depth analysis and recommendations for that specific service/population group.

## **5. JSNA Steering Group**

5.1.1 The JSNA Steering Group is responsible for topic prioritisation, review and approval of completed assessments to recommend to the Health and Wellbeing Board. The group is now fully established and has been meeting bi-monthly since November 2017. It has representation from Public Health, Lewisham CCG, Voluntary Action Lewisham, a representative of the local community organisations, Children and Young People's Commissioning, Health Watch and the Local Medical Committee.

## **5.2 Recently approved JSNAs**

5.2.1 A number of JSNA topic assessments have recently been approved by the JSNA Steering Group to come to the Health and Wellbeing Board for sign off:

- Repeated Removals of Children into Social Care
- Young People in Contact with the Criminal Justice System
- Air Quality (Refresh)
- Maternal Mental Health

## **5.3 Picture of Lewisham**

5.3.1 The macro-level JSNA aims to describe the population of Lewisham in terms of the key health and socio-demographic characteristics, including mortality, morbidity, ethnicity and inequalities. The current format is a PowerPoint Presentation with links to core datasets. It will be refreshed annually.

## **5.4 Further JSNA work for 2018/19**

5.4.1 An Adults with Autism JSNA Topic Assessment is nearing completion. Topic assessments on Parenting and Supported Housing are currently underway, with Respiratory and Mental Health to be completed later in

the year. JSNA Topic Assessment Refreshes will be undertaken on Sexual Health, Falls, Healthy Weight, Immunisations and Tobacco Control.

## **6. Financial implications**

- 6.1 There are no specific financial implications. However the financial implications of any recommendations arising from the assessments will be considered either during or once the assessments are completed as appropriate.

## **7. Legal implications**

- 7.1 The requirement to produce a JSNA is set out above.
- 7.2 Members of the Board are reminded that under Section 195 Health and Social Care Act 2012, Health and Wellbeing Boards are under a duty to encourage integrated working between the persons who arrange for health and social care services in their area.

## **8. Crime and Disorder Implications**

- 8.1 There are no Crime and Disorder Implications from this report.

## **9. Equalities Implications**

- 9.1 JSNAs are a continuous process of strategic assessment and planning, with a core aim to develop local evidence, based priorities for commissioning which will improve health and reduce inequalities. Equalities Implications have been highlighted throughout the body of the report.

## **10. Environmental Implications**

- 10.1 There are no Environmental Implications from this report.

## **11. Conclusion**

- 11.1 The new JSNA process is progressing and aims to become embedded in strategic planning in future years.

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